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Applicant : John F. Gordon, et al.
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OPTICAL BIO-DISC
Examiner : Nelson C. Yang
Group Art Unit : 1641

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed September 23, 2003 in the above-identified patent application, please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 10 of this paper.

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Dear Sir:

Fees based on large entity status were submitted with the Amendment filed on March 22, 2004 in the above-identified case. The present application qualifies for small entity status pursuant to the terms of 37 C.F.R. § 1.27. Applicant requests a refund of one-half of the fees paid, as calculated below. Please credit our Deposit Account No. 11-1410.

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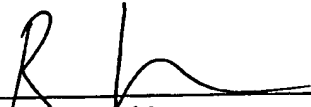
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